

Ashleigh (Main house)
.1 mile south of Rt. 22, .7 mile east
of junction of Rts. 22 and 638
Gordonsville vicinity
Green Springs Historic District
Louisa County
Virginia

HABS No. VA-1218

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WRITTEN HISTORICAL AND DESCRIPTIVE DATA

Historic American Buildings Survey
National Park Service
Department of the Interior
Washington, D.C.

ARCHITECTURAL DATA FORM

STATE Virginia	COUNTY Louisa	TOWN OR VICINITY Gordonsville vicinity; Green Springs Historic District
HISTORIC NAME OF STRUCTURE (INCLUDE SOURCE FOR NAME) Ashleigh (National Register Nomination Form)		HABS NO. VA-1218
SECONDARY OR COMMON NAMES OF STRUCTURE None		
COMPLETE ADDRESS (DESCRIBE LOCATION FOR RURAL SITES) .1 mile South of Rt. 22, .7 miles east of the junction of Rt. 22 & Rt. 638.		
DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE SOURCE) c. Late 19th Century (National Register Nomination Form)		ARCHITECT(S) (INCLUDE SOURCE) Unknown
SIGNIFICANCE (ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL, INCLUDE ORIGINAL USE OF STRUCTURE) Though only a few of the historic buildings within the district can be characterized as exceptional, Ashleigh contributes to the unique assemblage of rural architecture, which for the most part has remained undisturbed. Original use was as a private dwelling.		
STYLE (IF APPROPRIATE)		
MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS) Clapboarded frame construction with brick foundations and seamed metal roof.		
SHAPE AND DIMENSIONS OF STRUCTURE (SKETCHED FLOOR PLANS ON SEPARATE PAGES ARE ACCEPTABLE) Irregular plan measuring approximately 67' x 36'. Two stories in height.		
EXTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE Hipped roof, two interior chimneys, bargeboard along one gable. A veranda wraps around three sides of the dwelling. The door shows Greek Revival characteristics while diagonal patterns of siding on the bay window appear to date from c. 1875. Two-over-two sash windows.		
INTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE (DESCRIBE FLOOR PLANS, IF NOT SKETCHED) Unable to view interior.		
MAJOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS WITH DATES The clapboard siding has been covered with aluminum siding; date unknown. A kitchen wing has been added in the rear; date unknown.		
PRESENT CONDITION AND USE Private residence in good condition.		
OTHER INFORMATION AS APPROPRIATE		
SOURCES OF INFORMATION (INCLUDING LISTING ON NATIONAL REGISTER, STATE REGISTERS, ETC.) National Register of Historic Places Inventory - Nomination Form		
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